Conversion of certain Incomplete Middle Schools into Middle Schools.

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Correspondence ending with letter No. A 4-2510 of 27-28, dated 28th May 1928, from the Director of Public Instruction, submitting proposals for the development of certain Incomplete Middle Schools into Complete Middle Schools and for the conversion of certain Aided Primary Schools into Government Institutions.

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The conversion of Incomplete Middle Schools into Middle Schools and of Government Aided Primary Schools into Government Institutions are being urged on the attention of Government both in the Representative Assembly and the Legislative Council. The Director of Public Instruction who was requested to investigate the possibilities in these directions, has submitted proposals, for the conversion into Middle Schools, of Incomplete Middle Schools at 21 places in the Districts of Kolar, Mysore, Tumkur, Hassan, Chitaldrug and Shimoga, by utilising savings to be effected by reducing such of the Incomplete Middle Schools, as are not thriving, into Primary Schools (*vide* statement appended). The financial effect of the proposals is that the amount required for the development of 21 Incomplete Middle Schools is slightly (*viz.*, by Rs. 14 per mensem) in excess of the savings that will be effected by the reduction of certain other Incomplete Middle Schools into the primary grade. The Director of Public Instruction is willing to meet this small additional recurring expenditure out of the sanctioned grants in the Departmental Budget for 1928-29. He requests further that an additional grant of Rs. 3,150 may be sanctioned for non-recurring expenditure on account of additional furniture, library books, maps, charts and other school appliances.

Government are pleased to sanction the proposals of the Director of Public Instruction with the proviso that the amount required for non-recurring expenditure should also be met out of the lumpsum allotment made for additional requirement in the budget of the Department for the current year, and that, as it is improbable that all the classes will be started in the schools to be developed into middle school grade, only as much of the additional staff as is actually required should be entertained.

The Director of Public Instruction is requested to investigate the question of reducing and developing certain other Incomplete Middle Schools maintained from cess funds and to submit his final recommendations in due course.

As regards the conversion of Aided Primary Schools into Government Institutions, Government direct that the general question of such conversion may be deferred for the present pending a decision on the question of the transfer of control of Primary Education to Local bodies and of fixing the financial responsibility for the future expansion of Primary Education between the Government and Local bodies. This, however, will not prevent special cases for conversion being considered on their own merits.

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APPENDIX.

District	Incomplete Middle Schools to be developed	Extra cost involved	Incomplete Middle Schools to be reduced	Savings effected
Kolar ..	1. Lakkur, Malur Taluk.	83 1/6	1. Holur, Kolar Taluk..	25 1/2
			2. Koppalamadagu ..	25 1/2
			3. Maragankunte ..	25 1/2
Mysore ..	1. Haradanhalli ..	83 1/6	1. Kodasoge ..	20
	2. Hanasoge ..	83 1/6	2. Kalale ..	29
	3. Koppa ..	92 1/6	3. Santemarahalli ..	20
	4. Santebachahalli ..	76 1/2	4. Hongannr ..	45 1/2
			5. Ravandur ..	45 1/2
			6. Aghalya ..	20
			7. Keragodu ..	20
			8. Bindiganavale ..	45 1/2
			9. Chamundi Hills ..	23 1/3
			10. Yelwala ..	45 1/2
			11. Bukkanakere ..	23 1/3
Tumkur ..	1. Byalya ..	92 1/6	1. Kodagathur ..	48 5/6
	2. Dandinasivara ..	83 1/6	2. Hagalvadi ..	28 1/3
	3. Thitha ..	78 1/6	3. Nagasandra ..	20
	4. Midagesi ..	92 1/6	4. Tharur ..	20
			5. Kallambella ..	20
			6. Voddagere ..	20
			7. Thavarekere ..	20
			8. Heechanur ..	20
			9. Mangalvadi ..	20
			10. Sarthavalli ..	20
			11. Thimmenahalli ..	20
			12. Kolala ..	45 1/2
Hassan .	1 Alur ..	83 1/6	1. Doddamagge ..	52 1/6
	2. Banavar ..	86 1/2	2. Bhuvanahalli ..	45 1/2
			3. Hulikal ..	45 1/2
			4. Gubbi ..	45 1/2
Chitaldrug ..	1. Bharmanaikana-durga.	76 1/2	1. Kokkanur ..	28 1/3
	2. Gannaikanahalli..	91 1/6	2. Belludi ..	20
	3. Bagur ..	77 1/2	3. Kondajji ..	45 1/2
	4. Sirigere ..	83 1/6	4. Alur ..	20
	5. Lokikere ..	92 1/6	5. Kodaganur ..	48 5/6
			6. Chikkavvanahalli ..	23 1/3
			7. Belaghatta ..	20
			8. Guddarangavanahalli.	29
			9. Pandrahalli ..	20
			10. Belagur ..	29
			11. Mathodu ..	45 1/2
			12. Hallaghatta ..	20
			13. Mastur ..	37 1/2
			14. Mutugadur ..	45 1/2
Shimoga ..	1. Hodigere. ..	86 1/2	1. Chiradoni ..	20
	2. Nallur ..	76 1/2	2. Doddethinahalli ..	37 1/3
	3. Kogalur ..	93 1/6	3. Chilur ..	20
	4. Belagutti ..	87 1/6	4. Govinkove ..	20
	5. Kulambi ..	83 1/6	5. Kundur ..	57 5/6
			6. Malligenahalli ..	45 1/2
			7. Mulbagal ..	45 1/2
			8. Guddekoppa ..	45 1/2
			9. Anantapur ..	45 1/2
			10. Kuppadagadde ..	45 1/2
			11. Kamaradi ..	45 1/2
Total ..	21	1,780 1/2	55	1,766 1/6